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EISAI R&D Management Co., Ltd., a corporation of JAPAN, having a principal place of business at 6-10 Koishikawa, Bunkyo-ku, Tokyo 112-8088, JAPAN, is assignee of the entire right, title, and interest for the United States of America (as defined in 35 U.S.C. §100), by reason of an Assignment to the Assignee executed on December 18, 2006, of an invention known as Freeze-Dried Preparation Containing Methylcobalamin and Process For Producing Same (Attorney Docket No. 1089.0590000/MAC/DJN), that is disclosed and claimed in a patent application of the same title by the inventors Akira KATO and Teruko NOMURA (said application having a 371(c) Date of November 1, 2005, at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, and having Application Number 10/555,343, which is the U.S. national phase of International Application No. PCT/JP2004/005973, filed May 6, 2004).

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